UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

STEVE MADDEN, LTD.,

Plaintiff,

06 CV 6904(VM)

-against-

RULE 7.1 STATEMENT

DOLCE VITA FOOTWEAR, INC., VAN LAMPROU and NICK LUCIO, JOHN DOE, INC. 1-10 and JOHN DOE 1-10,

Defendants.

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 7.1 and to enable District Judges and Magistrate Judges of the Court to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel for Dolce Vita Footwear, Inc. (a private non-governmental party) certifies that Dolce Vita Footwear, Inc. has no corporate parents, affiliates and/or subsidiaries which are publicly held.

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